GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4499
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DIESEL TAXIES IN DELHI
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether diesel taxies are illegally plying on Delhi roads without having Euro-II certificate;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government to prevent running of these taxies?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO)

(a)to(c): There have been cases where diesel operated taxies were found plying on Delhi roads without conforming to the EURO-II norms . 83 such taxies have been impounded by the Transport Department of the Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi for violation of the order of the Supreme Court. The owners/operators of the taxies have been directed to carry and display certificate obtained from the Registering Authorities concerned to the effect that these vehicles conform to the EURO-II norms.